# Sierra Sun

"IT SHINES FOR ALL"

AND

# Truckee Republican

74th Year, Number 39 | Truckee, Nevada County, California, Thursday, November 5, 1942 | Since 1869


## Officers Probe Home Robbery Tuesday Night

### Radio Stolen As Rooms In Local Dwelling Looted

Deputies O'Hara and Larson from Nevada City and Deputy N. F. Dolley of Truckee yesetrday weer investigating the burglary of the Yell Nobles home in Gateway Park.

The home was entered sometime Tuesday evening while Mr. and Mrs. Nobles were absent from home. When they returned around 11 p. m. they found the house had been entered and the down-stairs rooms ransacked. First investigations revealed the only missing article was a portable radio.

Drawers had been pulled out and the contents scattered, but apparently the thieves were searching only for cash or valuables and none were found.

Neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Leitch reported seeing a car drive away from the Nobles house shortly after 8 o'clock, but believing it to be the Nobles car, paid little attention other than noting the direction it took.

A window in the rear of the house provided an entrance for the thieves.

---

RENO, Nov. 5.—The Reno police reported three home burglaries and one in a downtown store and simultaneously issued a warning to home owners to notify the department of any suspicious characters, The police report many undesirables have been coming to Reno after being "floated" from coastal cities.

—V—

## PARENT TEACHERS SPONSOR GIFTS TO MEN UNDER ARMS

The Truckee Union Parents and Teachers has undertaken one of the most worthwhile projects that has been proposed and one worthy of the support which it needs. They are sending a carton of cigarettes to each boy from Truckee in the armed forces and already 12 packages have been dispatched to those men in foreign service.

The project is a big one to be handled alone by the members of the PTA and other organizations will be asked to contribute. The packages are not labled with the name of the sending organization, but simply bear greetings from Truckee. All Truckee organizations should share in the expense.

—V—

## LIGHT SNOWFALL IS FOLLOWED BY COLD

A light snowfall followed a drenching rain here Tuesday to give election day a gloomy outlook. Traffic over the summit was delayed but not seriously although officers were kept busy 24 hours in directing drivers to keep on chains. Yesterday the road was cleared of snow and the skies returned to their customary blue.

Between one and six inches of snow fell both here and at Lake Tahoe followed by a cold snap that sent thermometers tumbled to as low as 12 degrees at Hobart Mills and 17 at Tahoe City.

—V—

## Twin Daughters For Walter Schmidt Home

Mrs. A. Schmidt of Floriston is expected home soon from Walnut Creek after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schmidt, who are the proud parents of twin daughters born October 27. The girls whose names were not learned immediately, weighed three and a half and four and a half pounds respectively, but are reported by their grandfather, A. Schmidt to be thriving in incubators. The Walter Schmidts are parents of two older children.

—V—

**Pastor Visits—**

Rev. Anzac Anderson, a former pastor who served the Community Church here during 1926-1927, was in town Saturday. He has been stationed at Verdi.

## .: Sun :. Beams

by WALTER M. BARRETT

There was a lot of satifaction in Tuesday's election. Not so much because this or that particular party gained this or that seat, but because the citizens of the United States through the American way, went to the polls and silently voiced their desires. This method of controlling governmental offices and agencies is rare in the world today and the very fact that there were some definite upsets gives proof that the American ballot box is still a dominate feature in our lives. We may make mistakes, but thanks to our way of living we can, through elections, correct them.

---

The other day we watched a troop train pull into the depot during a storm. A few seconds later, we saw Clarence Wray, Southern Pacific Co. freight agent, leave his warm office with an armful of magazines which he passed out to the boys on the coaches. Wray started his one-man USO project several weeks ago and has constantly continued his efforts. He is doing a swell job and one which we know is fully appreciated by the boys in the service. Rain or shine he carries on the task without thought of praise which we believe is justly due.

---

Southern Pacific employes have purchased a new flag which soon will be dedicated to the boys in the armed forces from Truckee. Aside from doing a vital national defense job themselves in keeping the trains moving, the S. P. boys are all members of the 10 per cent Club and through gestures such as buying and dedicating the flag are amply proving their loyal spirit to the country.

---

Those who have heard the local grammar school's rythm band which has practiced under the direction of Mrs. Jack Wolert cannot help but appreciate the spirit of these earnest youngsters. They have an organization of which the whole town may well be proud. They are not accomplished musicians and their instruments are more or less makeshift, but their efforts and the work of their teacher should win the admiration of the whole community and we are just a little sorry that they cannot be provided with adequate instruments, although we know they could not exemplify a finer spirit if they had the best.

—V—

## School Superintendent Weds School Teacher

Walter A. Carlson, county superintendent of schools, and Kathryn L. Hewitt, teacher of the Pleasant Valley school, were married Sunday in Reno. The service was performed by Rev. William K. Simpey. The bride's former home was in Yuba City.

The announcement of the marriage came a surprise to the friends of both Mr. and Mrs. Carlson. Carlson is a member of the Rotary Club and the American Legion. For some time he has been regarded as a confirmed bachelor.

—V—

## MORE THAN 100 AT HALLOWE'EN FETE BY ROTARY CLUB

More than 100 youngsters and their parents from this district attended the Hallowe'en party given at Capitol Hall Saturday night by the Truckee-Tahoe Rotary club and vied for the 20 prizes issued. Miss Perry and Master Smith received the awards for the best costumes and Howard Snider received the door prize. All present vited it the most enjoyable party yet held on Hallowe'en.

While the party was sponsored by the Rotary Club all arrangements were in the hands of Mrs. Jack Wolert, who was chairman of the committee assisted by Mrs. Ernest Pinelli and Mrs. Ben Lewis. Refreshments of ice cream, candy, apples, popcorn and punch were served.

**Get your scrap in the fight**

## S. P. Employes To Dedicate Flag To Service Men

### Program Scheduled To Be Presented Here On November 11

Truckee Southern Pacific Company employes on Armistice Day will dedicate their new flag to the men in the armed services of the United States from this distirct, it has been announced by Al Pfaendler, who has outlined the ceremonies for the occasion.

The services were originally scheduled for last Tuesday but inclement weather made it impossible and it was decided to delay the program until Armistice Day, November 11.

The master of ceremonies will be William Hoosen, Truckee trainmaster, who will present the flag in the name of the S. P. employes to the boys in the service. The local military through Lieutenant Bristol will do the military honors. Walter M. Barrett, Truckee publisher and president of the chamber of commerce will make a few remarks and Rev. William Daly will offer prayer.

While the flag is being raised the school children will sing America and the pledge to the flag will be given. Rev. Mrs. Brandlin will give the closing prayer.

Local civic and fraternal orders as well as businessmen and others are invited to participate.

—V—

## WOMEN REPLACE MEN MEN IN LABOR JOBS ON SOUTHERN PACIFIC

**With the man-power shortage becoming more accute in vital industires, more and more women are finding positions once held to be for men only, but it is believed the Southern Pacific here is setting a new record by employing women laborers in the rock gang.**

**Roadmaster Vernon Pearson of Truckee said two women are employed as laborers on Extra Gang Seven and Mrs. Al Sturgill is operating a compressor on the same gang most successfully.**

**At Norden Mrs. Ralph Duncan and Mrs. Dee Bowen are holding down jobs on the Jerry machine and have Mrs. Hart and Mrs. V. Whitten as their relief.**

—V—

## TRUCKEE WOMAN MARRIES RAIL MAN IN RENO SUNDAY

Mrs. Louvena Allen of Truckee and Orlan J. Rablin of Roseville were married Sunday by Rev. Brewster Adams at his home in Reno. A few close relatives, including the bride's sister, Mrs. E. T. Lang and daughter Beverly Jean, witnessed the ceremony

Mr. and Mrs. Orlan H. Sanders of Truckee, nephew and niece of the bridegroom, were the attendants.

For her wedding the bride looked smart in a blue suit with black accessories and an orchid corsage. Mrs. Sanders wore a black suit with red accessories and her corsage was of gardenias.

A wedding dinner took place at the Trocadero after which Mr. and Mrs. Rablin left for a honeymoon in San Francisco.

Rablin is a conductor for the South ern Pacific company and they will make their home in Roseville.

—V—

## NEW OFFICERS OF EASTERN STAR IN TRUCKEE NAMED

Truckee Chapter No. 116, Order of Eastern Star, chose the following elective officers for the ensuing year at the regular meeting held Tuseday evening: Noami Hursey, worthy matron; H. I. Snider, worthy patron; Jennie Moore, associate matron; D. W. Bowen, associate patron; Theresia Buddle, conductress; Ametta Cabona, associate conductress; Hannah Stewart, secretary; Elizabeth McKay, treasurer.

The elective and appointive officers will be installed Tuesday, December 1.

## MY PLACE IN THE SUN

By PVT. DOUG BARRETT

I have just finished reading Max Miller's book "Reno" which I borrowed from our post library. While I recommend, I do so with reservation. His description of Reno—from a casual visitor's standpoint is excellent. His concept of contemporary Reno and its surrounding territory is excellent BUT—. Historically he is inaccurate to a fault. From my own knowledge of the history of the area, I conclude that Miller has taken verbatim the tales told by the old timers without bothering with research. For instance, he tells the tale of the only case of hanging of a woman "in Nevada." He then relates how a miners' court tried and condemned one Jaunita of murder and hanged her in 1850. All his details are correct with the glaring exception that the incident occurred in Downieville, California when Genoa was the center of population in Nevada ..... He accepted the dramatic yarn that Chief Truckee was killed while riding to warn his white friends of an impending Indian attack. It makes a nice story but the fact of the matter is that Truckee lived to a ripe old age and died of blood-poisoning contracted while harvesting pinenuts in Churchill County .... My source is the State Library in Sacramento .... If you stick your tongue in your cheek and whistle through his historical inaccurracies, Max "I Cover the Waterfront" Miller's "Reno" is interesting reading for folks who know the "Biggest Little City."

---

This week I hear' from Charlie White and Al Pfaendler. You'd really be astounded how much letters from home mean to the boys here. Short ones or long ones, they all serve to bring the ties to home a lot closer to the boys who squads left and squads right all day. Keep 'em coming.

---

The news of Hes Cardinal's escape from Davy Jones Locker was a real joy to me. Hes and I served as officers of Summit Lodge No. 54, Knights of Pythias, together. I have known a lot of men and am meeting more every day and have yet to meet one that is a bit finer than Hes. It is an answer to the prayers of his friends that he has been spared for greater service to his nation and loved ones.

—V—

## HUGE TRUCK WITH CARGO BURNED ON SUMMIT HIGHWAY

A huge Cotant truck loaded with alcoholic anti-freeze and other materials, exploded and burned on the side of the highway near Kingvale Friday morning. The driver escaped injury but the truck and its contents were a total loss. The trailer was removed from the fire and was not hurt. Officers of the highway patrol investigated.

—V—

## Newspaper Ads Given Credit By Railroad

Newspaper advertising is credited with acquainting the public with railroad problems and also induces more careful and efficient use of the railroad travel service, according to F. Q. Tredway, general manager for the Southern Pacific Company.

—V—

## Rotary Club Holds Its Weekly Meeting

"Attendance as Effected by War Conditions" was the subject of the program given at the Monday meeting of the Truckee Tahoe Rotary Club. L. A. Greene presided and Alan M. Ainey of the U. S. Rubber Company from Portland was a guest.

—V—

**In Arizona—**

Dick Joseph, accompanied by his two sisters, Mrs. Jasper Archie and Miss Azad Joseph, are enjoying a trip to Phoenix, Arizona, and expect to return some time this month.

# DOLLEY WINS LOCAL CONTEST; SHERIFF FIGHT IS IN DOUBT

### Nevada County Gives Warren Big Majority In Race For Governorship; Follow Balance Of State In Voting On Propositions

Truckee Voters Tuesday kept step with the rest of the state in giving Attorney General Earl Warren a commanding majority over Culbert L. Olson in the contest for the governorship, but gave Democratic Lieutenant Governor Ellis Patterson a small margin over his Republican opponent, Fred Hbuser.

In the only purely local contest, N. F. Dolley defeated Charles Pierce for the office of constable by a margin of 113 votes. The count from the three Meadow Lake precincts giving Dolley 218 and Pierce 105.

Sheriff Carl Tobiassen collected 35 more votes in Truckee than did his opponent, Richard Hoskins, the local precincts giving Tobiassen 161 and Hoskins 126.

For county assessor, Truckee favored Phil G. Scadden over Eben K. Smart, the former gathering 197 tallies and the latter 74, giving Scadden a margin of 125 votes.

**County Results**

Nevada County as a whole went strong for Warren, giving him 3528 to 1639 for the incumbent, Olson.

Sheriff Tobiassen was leading his opponent, Hoskins by 132 votes with 963 absentee ballots out and approximately 750 of them expected to be counted. The count stood:

| | |
|---|---|
| Tobiassen | 2676 |
| Hoskins | 2544 |

On the face of the votes counted, Scadden had defeated Smart in the county-wide balloting. The score, less the anticipated 750 absentees was:

| | |
|---|---|
| Scadden | 2685 |
| Smart | 2429 |

Truckee generally followed the rest of the state in voting on the various propositions, only the more controversial being listed below.

**How Truckee Voted**

**For Governor**

| | |
|---|---|
| Olson | 108 |
| Warren | 188 |
| Porter | 1 |

**For Lieutenant Governor**

| | |
|---|---|
| Patterson | 145 |
| Houser | 133 |

**For Sect. of State**

| | |
|---|---|
| Peek | 138 |
| Jordan | 134 |

**For Atty. General**

| | |
|---|---|
| Kenny | 150 |
| Ware | 108 |

**For Sheriff**

| | |
|---|---|
| Tobiassen | 161 |
| Hoskins | 126 |

**For Assessor**

| | |
|---|---|
| Scadden | 197 |
| Smart | 74 |

**Propositions**

No. 1— Yes, 147; No, 88
No. 2.— Yes, 82; No, 87.
No. 3.— Yes, 46; No 152.
No. 4.—Yes, 71; No, 131.
No. 5.— Yes, 48; No, 132.
No. 6.— Yes, 47; No, 129.
No. 8.— Yes, 126; No, 67.
No. 9.— Yes, 69; No, 98.
No. 16.— Yes, 30; No. 132.

—V—

## HIGHWAY FOREMAN INJURED BADLY IN ACCIDENT AT BOCA

Frank Holt, foreman for the state highway department in this district, is in a Reno hospital suffering from serious injuries as the result of an accident at Boca last week.

Holt with other members of the highway crew was unloading a car of plant-mix for repairing the roads and was standing behind a truck operated by Arthur Kehm. As the truck backed up Holt either fell or was struck by the truck and the heavy wheels passed along the full length of his body. The left side and left hip suffered the brunt of the shock and the injured man was rushed to Truckee where after first aid by Dr. J. H. Bernard, he was taken to Reno for hospitalization.

His friends are hoping for a speedy recovery.

—V—

## RYTHM BAND FROM LOCAL SCHOOL IS FEATURE PROGRAM

The Truckee Lions Club last night was privileged to hear the Truckee Grammar School's Rythm Band in action. The score of young musicians have been practicing after school under the direction of Mrs. Jack Wolert who gives her time to the project and have become very adept with the assortment of instruments. They offered excellent entertainment and won the applause accorded them.

Tom Griffen was the program chairman and Elden Tonini presided

## Tahoe City Gives Warren Big Vote At Polls Tuesday

TAHOE CITY, Nov. 5.— Tahoe City cast 99 votes at the election on Tuesday, giving Earl Warren 75, Governor Olson, 21 and Porter 3.

For Lieutenant Governor Patterson received 39 votes and Houser 55. Peek received 36 and Jordan 58 in the secretary of state race. Kenney had 52 and Ware 39 in the contest for attorney general.

On the propositions Tahoe City voted as follows: No. 1—Yes 64; No, 31. No. 2.—Yes, 34; No, 43. No. 3.—Yes, 41; No, 44. No. 4.—Yes, 55; No, 29. No. 6—Yes, 34; No, 47. No. 8.—Yes, 58; No, 24. No. 9.—Yes, 44, No, 34. No. 16.—Yes, 24; No, 50.

There were no local contests in Tahoe to be voted upon.

—V—

## CABONAS ENLARGE LOCAL STORE TO ADD CLOTHES HERE

Filling a need which has been felt in this district since the closing of Rossarini's, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Cabona have opened a men's and women's clothing store in connection with their present stock of household equipment and furniture.

Since the closing of Rossarini's Truckee has been without a clothing store and while the new establishment will not provide dresses, suits and shoes, accessories, including an assortment of all sizes of shirts, hosery, hats, undergarments, gloves, ties, sweaters, handkerchiefs and the like will be available.

"It was not our intention to engage in the clothing business if someone had made an effort to open a store," Cabona explained, "but the need for such an establishment is so pronounced that we felt in fairness to the community it was opportune to expand our store and provide this much needed line of merchandise."

The eastern portion of the store is being equipped with shelves and display tables and while a large portion of the stock is still in transit or on order, already a varied assortment has arrived and is on display. Prices are comparable and in some instances lower than in competitive stores in larger cities. The public is invited to call and inspect the new store.

—V—

## Matson Starts Drive For Coat Hangers

There is a definite shortage of coat hangers in army camps and Chester Matson, wire chief for the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co. is starting out to solve the "bottleneck."

Matson said he would appreciate having any surplus hangers left at the office of the chamber of commerce where he will call for them and send them where they are most needed. He has agreed to pay the shipping charges and asks only the cooperation of local people in providing the hangers.

—V—

## Southern Pacific Man Succumbs In Bay City

ROSEVILLE, Nov. 5.—Funeral services for Thomas P. Notch were held in Roseville yesterday afternoon at 2. p. m. and the body was taken to Sacramento for burial.

Notch, a Southern Pacific Company conductor, died Sunday in the S. P. hospital in San Franicsco. He was a native of Wyoming and had lived in Roseville 18 years.

**Get your scrap in the fight**

ON THE NEWS FRONT

# Future Farmers of America Active in Bond Buying Plan

In 7,500 chapters throughout the nation, 245,000 Future Farmers of America have invested more than $1,500,000 in war bonds and stamps during the past year to help their nation and themselves to lasting security.

Texas FFA members have put their state far out in the lead with $206,252 invested both by chapters and individual members. North Carolina was the next with more than $100,000. Oklahoma placed third and Illinois and Kentucky fourth and fifth respectively.

These Future Farmers of America, farm youths who are studying vocational agriculture in their local high schools and who are developing their own complete farm program for the future, are using the profits from livestock or crop projects for war savings bonds. Some FFA members are even investing their entire profits into bonds for victory.

The bond and stamp investment is not confined to any special section of the country.

For instance: Each of the 38 members of the Stamping Ground chapter in Kentucky started a savings program by either buying a war bond or starting a stamp book.

In New Jersey approximately 300 members have invested $8,758 and 260 members will invest more than $5,000 before the end of the year.

The Jayhawk chapter in Kansas was also active. It added $50 from its treasury to the amount received from the sale of a fat barrow and three gilts and bought a $100 bond. The Shawnee Mission chapter in the same state invested over $1,000.

But the FFA members didn't confine themselves to local endeavors.

At their annual national convention held in Kansas City, Mo., they stressed a greater investment activity, and pledged themselves to all other phases of war work in which they can be helpful.

State Future Farmers of America associations have been working overtime, too, in securing still greater investments, with $44,530 in bonds and stamps purchased. The leader in this group is Hawaii, with a total of $9,500.

Among the others up near the top are: California, $8,000; Mississippi, $3,000; Tennessee, $3,000; Texas, $2,000; Arkansas, $2,000; Pennsylvania, $1,500; Iowa, $1,400. Alabama, Georgia, Kansas, Louisiana, Missouri, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Virginia each have invested $1,000.

FFA members have shown their patriotism in other ways than buying defense bonds and stamps. Nearly 50,000 members are now in the armed forces. Then, too, they have collected over 77,000,000 pounds of scrap metal, and over 30,000,000 pounds of paper, besides gathering in over 2,700,000 pounds of rubber, and more than 600,000 pounds of rags.

The youth of rural America, the FFA members of today who will carry on the production of food in the tomorrows to come, are giving a practical demonstration of the long range planning, the level-headedness, and co-operation that is inherent in their organization.

## NEW GUINEA—MacArthur Front Line

**Call it dinosaur — or turkey shaped—New Guinea is the huge island that today forms Australia's first line and is one corner of an island quadrangle running to the Solomons, the Fijis and New Caledonia that commands the shortest line of supply from the United States to General MacArthur's forces in Australia.**

**New Guinea's importance to the Allies in the southwest Pacific is told in these maps—the larger one showing the New Guinea terrain close-up, while the circular one gives its relation to the entire southwest Pacific problem.**

**Japan's attempts to take New Guinea and springboard to Australia, 100 miles across Torres strait, have thus far failed. Landing at Salamaua and Lae in March, the Japs tried in vain to cross back-breaking mountains to Torres strait. Repeated bombings of Port Moresby still fail to destroy that Allied stronghold, Japan's boldest try, a crossing of 15,000-foot mountains from Gona and Buna, was stopped at the 9,000-foot elevation half-way point, Kokoda, where brave Aussies teamed with dense tropical growth and insects to stop the brown men. Tojo's fourth try to reach the southeast coast, landing troops at Milne Bay, found Australian resistance from Samarai protecting Moresby from being reached by coast.**

SEE FOR YOURSELF

SEEING is believing. You will be amazed at the abundance of softly diffused, soothing white light a Better Sight lamp puts forth. You will see why these modern lamps are rapidly supplanting the old fashioned kind. You will like their graceful beauty that will make any room more cheerful and attractive. You owe it to yourself and family to come in and see the many smart styles in these better lamps. Prices are very reasonable.

SEE YOUR DEALER

TRUCKEE PUBLIC UTILITY DISTRICT

ELECTRICITY IS CHEAP — USE MORE OF IT

Telephone 150 Truckee, Calif.



FOR CONSTANT WARMTH WITHOUT WASTE

USE FUEL OIL

WE ARE EQUIPPED TO OFFER YOU THE BEST OF THE RIGHT TYPE OF BURNER AND HEATING OILS— LET US ADVISE YOU REGARDING RIGHT OIL AND THEN YOUR COOKING AND HEATING WORRY ARE OVER.

Call Our Service Man Today—Let Him Assist You in Your Fuel Requirements

CITY TRANSFER

E. H. Smith, Truckee — C. E. Smith, Phone 68


# EDITORIAL

## SMALL BUSINESS

There are a lot of small business men who are going to be forced by the war to close their doors.

How badly our business friends in this town will be hit is still a matter of conjecture, but there are some, such as automobile dealers, service station owners and electrical appliance dealers, who have already suffered badly. There will be more—and it may be that some of our favorite merchants may be among them.

Meetings have been held in Washington to work out some way to cope with this situation. No answer has been found. If there is any answer it is in most cases a local one—only one that the people can help to solve.

We can do this: we can patronize local merchants more than we ever have before and only buy things out of town when they are not available in town.

If we will all sympathize with the problems which these small business men are facing and will each take a personal interest in giving them our support, it will not only help them but will help our town to survive the war.

## VALUABLES ON THE SCRAP HEAP

Reports on scrap iron collections from all over this state show that a lot of people outdid themselves by turning in items which were really in much too good condition to be considered scrap. Things like good bed springs, expensive plumbing, first-class radiators and good lawn mowers have been seen on many a junk-heap.

Although turning in these things demonstrates a real patriotic spirit, it seems too bad to have products turned into scrap which are vitally needed by someone else.

An interesting solution has been worked out in one town: all things turned in which might be useful to someone else are put on display in a vacant store. The people of the town are invited to look the display over and pick out anything they want. But before anyone can take possession of any item, he must first find some other piece of scrap in his home which is of equal weight and turn that in.

By this plan the scrap pile loses nothing and many people obtain items which they need badly.

—FOR VICTORY :: BUY BONDS—

BUY WAR BONDS


### 5,500 PERSONS STOPPED BY PATROLMEN FOR SPEED SINCE NEW LAW OCT. 1ST

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 5.— (UP)— Since the 35 mile per hour speed limit was put into effect October 1, approximately 5,500 persons have been stopped and warned or charged with speed violations in California, the state highway patrol revealed.

However, public compliance with the new speed limit has been exceptionally good, patrol officers said.

"Most drivers appear to understand it is their patriotic duty to conserve tires," they reported.

In the operations room at patrol headquarters speed violation reports are segregated by county as rapidly as received and sent to county tire rationing boards in bi-weekly consignments.

Patrolmen report that an occasional violator is found to have a priority rating on tires although the total is not great.

———V———

San Francisco's world-famous Golden Gate Park contains 17 miles of improved highways, two museums, a zoo, an aquarium, a stadium, a music pavilion, tennis courts, croquet grounds, bowling greens and lakes.

———V———

The only freedom worth possessing is that which gives enlargement to a people's energy, intellect and virtues.

—William Ellery Channing


E. C. SIMON
SANTITARY CLEANING
CESS POOLS
SEPTIC TANKS
— City Disposal Tanks —
1250 Arcade Blvd. No. Sacramento
Telephone Sacto. 9-0433
For references, ask your neighbor

ITALIAN DINNERS
Chicken or Ravioli
Saturdays
Sundays
$1.25
DONNER HOTEL
Pete Lazzari Phone 135
Call for Reservations

GARBAGE & TRASH HAULING
by load or month
A. ARMATI
Telephone 208



Sierra Sun
"IT SHINES FOR ALL"
Truckee Republican

An Independent Newspaper
PROMOTING PROGRESS
Established March, 1869
Yearly Subscription $2.50 In Advance
Published Every Thursday

Entered in the United States Post Office at Truckee, California, as second class matter under the Act of Congress March 3, 1879.

NATIONAL EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION 1942 Active Member

CALIFORNIA NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS ASS'N MEMBER



Professional

FRANK G. FINNEGAN
Attorney at Law
NEVADA CITY, Telephone 272

WARD SHELDON
Attorney
UNION BUILDING
Nevada City Phone 28


## Fraternal

**TRUCKEE-TAHOE ROTARY CLUB**

Meets Every Monday at 7 P. M. in Capitol Hall.

L. A. GREENE, Pres.
G. E. HOFMANN, Sec.

**TRUCKEE LIONS CLUB**

Meets every Wednesday evening at 7 P. M. at Capito Hall.

ELDEN TONINI, President.
W. M. ENGLEHART, SR., Sect.

**TRUCKEE POST NO. 439, AMERICAN LEGION**

Meets 1st and 3rd Tues. Each Month in Veterans' Memorial Building.
Bert Weeden, Com.
E. A. Parker, Adjutant

**TRUCKEE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**

Meets each Friday at 3:30 P. M. at the Chamber of Commerce office.
W. M. BARRETT, President
VIVIAN GREGORY, Sect.

**TRUCKEE AERIE NO. 1124 FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES**

FOE

Meets First and Third Thursday at Odd Fellows Hall.
CHAS. E. PIERCE, President.
C. E. SMITH, Secretary.

**TRUCKEE LODGE NO. 200 F. & A. M.**

Meets Every Third Thursday in Masonic Hall.
R. A. FEATHERS, W. M.
G. E. HOFMANN, Sect.

**SUMMIT LODGE NO. 54 KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS**

Meets Every Friday in Odd Fellows Hall.
Visiting Brothers Welcome
BEN TONINI, Acting CC.
W. M. ENGLERART, SR.
K. of R. and S.

**SUMMIT TEMPLE NO. 79 PYTHIAN SISTERS**

Meets Second and Fourth Thursday at Odd Fellows Hall in Truckee at 8 o'clock, P. M.
DOROTHY GARIBALDI, M. E. C.
EVA BESIO, M. R. C.


EXPERT SWISS
Watch & Jewelry Repair
A. BIANCHI
MASONIC BLDG.
Phone Truckee 161

# LAKE TAHOE NEWS

(BY SWANEE) Telephone Tahoe City 66J

## TWO BIG BEARS ARE KILLED NEAR TAHOE BY SOLL

TAHOE PINES, Nov. 5.— Henry Soll of Pine Lodge, who over the past years has killed at least seven bears, this year topped his record by trapping two beauties, weigihing approximately 750 and 850 pounds respectively. The animals each season frequent the garbage dump back from the highway on the vast Ehrman estate and often find their way to the Soll home where they turn over garbage cans and make a general nuisance of themselves.

The first bear he caught was the larger and had a beautiful coat of tan, sprinkled with a light gray. The second was an all brown, with luxurious fur, both being from the brown bear family. The skins are being cured and will be made into rugs for the Soll's new home at Tahoe Pines. These bears are both larger than the one reported shot at Glenbrook this year, which the paper said weighed 600 pounds and broke a 26-year record for weight from this district.

## Tops in Dishwashers

Donald Nelson (left), chief of the War Production board, and Paul V. McNutt, chief of the War Manpower commission, are shown as they were drying dishes at the opening of Washington's "stage door canteen."

## SCRAP IRON DRIVE REPORT MADE AT RANGERS MEETING

TAHOE CITY, Nov. 5.— The Tahoe branch of the Placer County Rangers met at open meeting last Tuesday night at the local community hall. Clarence Vernon, newly appointed Chief of the Rangers since the departure of William LaMarr, conducted the meeting. Stanley Martin, the secretary, read the minutes of the previous meeting.

Norman Mayfield made a report on the scrap iron drive situation which still remains on Monday indefinite as to removal with Harry Lansberg still endeavoring to find a large truck and trailer to haul it in. Mayfield believes that 25 tons can be hauled at one time but also is of the opinion that the scrap waiting at the various depots and private homes still to be collected will exceed the 25-ton mark. Haste is being urged before snow flies and makes colelctions difficult. Rube Welch of Kings Beach reported for his district and declared that Supervisor Guisendorfer of Auburn had already hauled away their first scrap collection at the school house giving them $17 a ton. Since a $3 a ton sorting charge is made net profit was $14 a ton. This money, Welch declared, would be turned over to Mayfield for the Tahoe district quota. Since that time another scrap pile is collecting at Kings Beach and more money will be realized from that area.

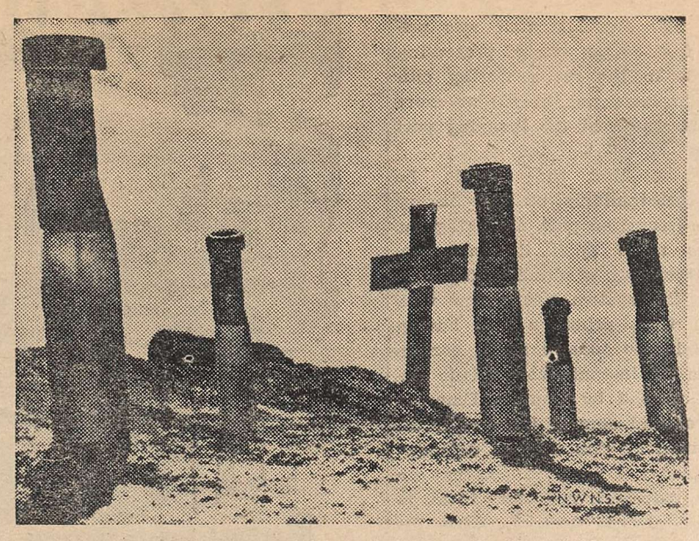
J. E. Pomin of Idlewild was credited with having gathered more scrap than ony man on the lake to date, and Mayfield was given a word or commendation for his generous donation of time and trucking facilities.

Mrs. Marie Henry, chairman of Tahoe's Red Cross Disaster Relief, gaev a report on activities under her direction, announcing that the relief station at Ben Callender's Hut had been transferred for the winter to Jay Schumacher's Tahoma resort. They have eight rooms ready for occupancy and will remain in, available in any emergency.

Squads were reorganized for the vairous districts, due to the departure of so many of Tahoe's residents. Rube Welch is squad leader for Kings Beach; J. E. Pomin for the Homewood area; Clarence Tollefson for Big Chief and the Truckee river area; Jess Sisk for the Tahoe Park district; Bob Wallace for Tahoe City and Ray Frazier for Lake Forest. There are now only six squads where there formerly were 12. A complete report on the reorganization will be forwarded to Sheriff Charles Silva at Auburn for his future reference.

The Rangers will meet again at Community hall on November 3.

## Bombs Mark Enemy Grave in Desert



Five incendiary bombs, jettisoned from a German raider, harmlessly stick out of the desert sand near a cross that marks the grave of two unknown enemy airmen. The bombs were part of a load carried by a Nazi luftwaffe over the North African battle zone.

## Tahoe Schools

The children of Mrs. Myrtle Gallinger's room on Monday had an exhibition of the large collection of sailors' knots given to the school by Fred Cowell, former Tahoe resident and all made by the sailors on Midway Island.

A gala Hallowe'en party was held Firday nast at 2 p. m. with members of the elementary and primary grades acting as hosts to the highschool classes. Mrs. Stella Watson decorated the stage for the groups of witches, gathering corn stalks, stumps and manzanita for the purpose. She also told fortunes during the party to the delight of all. High school members helped to direct the games for which Mrs. Gallinger awarded prizes in War Stamps. Among the interesting games played were the detective game—Who Done It? and a contest between the Owls and the Cats. This is played by members walking a line with pie plates holding an orange on their heads. The hour and a half program was followed by refreshments.

Ten high school children and their teachers and four elementary grade childern received smallpox vaccination Friday last week. All are waiting expectantly for them to 'take'.

Robert and Clifford Dockham of the Tahoe Fish Hatchery have returned to classes, having been away with their parents, the Leon Dockhams on a vacation.

Little Donald Orsi leaves this week from the primary division for Sacramento where his parents have bought a home.

———V———

The great bronze doors on the Missouri state capitol are the largest doors of such metal cast since the Roman Era.

———V———

The Pilgrims came to establish a nation in true freedom, in the rights of conscience. —Mary Baker Eddy

## MRS. SCHLEUTER IS IN GRAVE CONDITION

TAHOE PARK, Nov. 5.— Monday news from Reno revealed that the condition of Mrs. Theodore Schleuter of Tahoe Park had taken a turn for the worse. Her doctors had diagnosed her illness as the new pneumonia which appears immune to medicine.

She had been placed in anoxygen tent so critical was her state of health. Mr. Schleuter has remained in Reno at a hotel and is in constant attendance, and her daughter has been summoned and was with her. She was taken ill just a month ago last Tuesday and has been in St. Mary's hospital in Reno for two weeks.

———V———

## TAHOE RED CROSS

TAHOE CITY, Nov. 5.— The Tahoe branch of the American Red Cross has colsed its production room for the winter months. Mrs. Evelyn Bliss the local chaimran, declares that if there is anyone wishing to do sewing or knitting during the winter she will be glad to try and supply the necessary materials for them.

Thanks is given to all the faithful workers and especially to Mrs. A. A Snyder, sewing chairman and Mrs. Anne Anderson who so generously loaned her electric sewing machine during the entire summer season.

The following garments have been made and shipped since the first of the year:

Navy knitting: 6 tnrtleneck sweaters, 39 helmets, 21 watch caps, 11 pairs of gloves. Other knitting: 29 sweaters, 9 beanies, 19 pair mittens, 8 pair socks.

Sewing: 29 convalescing robes, 7 children's dresses, 12 pajamas, 17 rompers, 6 bed jackets, 20 blouses, 9 pair overalls, 2 crib blankets, 3 comforters (donated by Mrs. J. E. Pomin and Mrs. Alice Brown , 81 comfort bags (22 made by Tahoe Women's Club) and 81 housewives. Army knitting included 13 sweaters for the Truckee Red Cross branch.

A complete report of the work done by the North Tahoe Unit is not available at this time, but its production was outstanding in quality and quantity.

The combined hours for knitting and sewing totaled 3,500 hours.

The annual Red Cross Roll Call will not be held during November as in otheryears but a membership dirve and war appeal will be combined in one campaign in March, 1943.

It will be the 1943 Red Cross War Fund Drive. Since members will not be called upon until March they are earnestly requested to hold the chanter in mind until then, giving as generously as they are able to the combined roll call and war relief fund.

Appreciation of past loyalty is voiced by the heads of all chapters at this time, especially by Mrs. Bliss who hopes Tahoeites will repond in March as willingly as they have in the past.

## House and Home

By MARY E. DAGUE
Author of Sister Mary's Kitchen.

Have you signed the Consumer's Pledge that has been devised by the consumer division of the Price Administration? This pledge reads: "I will buy carefully. I will take good care of the things I have. I will waste nothing."

Whatever we save in food, power, materials and energy can be used by our country—us—in our effort to win the war.

Those of us who are dependent on electricity for light, fuel for cooking and power in mechanical refrigeration can save, conserve, this electricity in many ways.

We can learn to turn off electric lights when we're not using them and we can take extra pains to keep the light bulbs, reflecting bowls and shades clean.

We can also save fuel for cooking heat if we do more planning than usual. If at all possible do most of your cooking during the non-peak load hours. Use your oven to its capacity when you use it, cooking several things at once and have food ready as soon as oven is at right temperature. Don't keep opening oven door oftener than necessary.

When you need only a small amount of water, heat just that amount in a covered utensil.

Use flat bottom pans that fit the heating unit and be sure the covers fit closely.

The sediment that collects in the bottom of the tea kettle acts as a non-conductor of heat so keep the tea kettle free from any coating deposited from boiling water.

Since a dull surface absorbs heat more readily than a shiny one don't scour the bottoms of pans until they shine.

When you start to cook turn the electric unit on high. Then as soon as cooking begins turn the unit to low or medium and turn the current completely off before the food is quite done. Use the large unit for large pans.

Your mechanical refrigerator comes in for extra consideration, too. Of course it's insulated to the nth degree but even so place it away from heat. A nearby radiator, a sunny window and the range can make it work overtime.

Take care not to overload it and don't put hot food into it.

Watch for defrosting. The more you use the refrigerator the oftener it must be defrosted.

Take care not to keep the door open too long when you are putting foods away and taking them out.

Operate your refrigerator at the proper temperature. If you are not freezing a dessert there's no reason to set your dial at the lowest temperature.


"Sure, Acme Beer will keep after you open the Victory Quart bottle. Just pour slowly, recap promptly and put it back in the refrigerator. It's the economical way of buying Acme, too."

*Full Quarts, Half-Gallons, Too!*

ACME BREWERIES
San Francisco

ACME BEER
*Victory Size for the ECONOMY-WISE!*

COCA-COLA BOTTLING COMPANY OF TRUCKEE



WE ARE PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE THE

OPENING

OF OUR NEW

CLOTHING STORE

IN TRUCKEE

FOR

MEN AND WOMEN

And Invite Your Approval Of Our
STOCK OF MEN'S AND WOMEN'S READY-TO-WEAR GARMENTS AND ACCESSORIES

Whether or not you plan to buy, we invite you to drop in and inspect our line of dress and work clothes

D. CABONA

Telephone 126 Truckee, Calif.


## DALE CARNEGIE

*Author of* "How to Win Friends and Influence People"

### LEARNING IS MORE IMPORTANT THAN EDUCATION

I have a letter from a young man bewailing the fact that he has had very little education. He is afraid his lack of education will cause him to be a failure in life.

Would you like to hear what one of the most brilliant educators in the United States has to say on this subject? Prof. Harold F. Clark, professor of education at Teachers' college, New York, says:

"A college education is likely to make a man too hesitant for the task of money making when daring and courage are the prime necessities."

Let me tell you briefly about some people who didn't receive much education.

Orville Wright never finished high school. But he had something far more important than a college diploma—resourcefulness and ambition.

In Greensboro, N. C., there was a boy who missed out on formal education. Never got as far as high school. But he got along all right. That young man was O. Henry.

Near Ingelow, Manitoba, Canada, lived an orphan boy eleven years old. He had never gone to school in his life, so his foster father made arrangements for him to enter. The boy's tin dinner bucket was packed and he trudged off early one morning. The very first day he disobeyed a rule. The teacher was enraged, pulled off his belt and gave the boy a thrashing. The belt buckle hit the boy's hand and bruised it, and by the time he reached home his hand was badly swollen. His foster father was indignant. He sued the school, the trial was held in the largest official place in town—a box-car, which also served as the town depot. The boy's foster father won the suit, but by the time he won it the boy had grown restless and left home, to try to get a job as an actor.

Well, he got it. That boy who went to school only one day in his life is Wallace Ford, the movie star! You've seen him in "Of Mice and Men," "Back Door to Heaven" and "Isle of Destiny."

No, a formal education isn't absolutely necessary to succeed in some lines of work. It helps immensely, but it is never absolutely essential. The important thing is to keep going to school outside the school walls. Educate yourself. Read. Absorb. Read on the run. Cut out chapters from a book. Carry them in your pocket. Read them every time you have a minute to spare.

Friendly teamwork on party lines

Party lines today are providing telephone service to thousands of people who otherwise might have to do without—due to shortages in vital telephone materials that have "gone to war."

With teamwork, party line sharers can greatly assist each other and help keep the lines clear for our country's war effort. It helps a lot if you continue to:

*Make only essential calls.*
*Be brief.*
*Answer promptly.*

Your fine co-operation is appreciated.

THE PACIFIC TELEPHONE AND TELEGRAPH COMPANY
Commercial Row * Telephone Truckee 50

# TAHOE LETTER

* * * *

## To the Service Men

From SWANEE

Tahoe City, Calif.
November 5, 1942.

Dear Tahoeites:

This week America went to the polls, ending we hope, the bottleneck of honest opinions which some of our solons have been loath to express publically least they jeopardize their elective futures. With elections behind and a fresh start the nation's chosen leaders should now be able to throw the war effort into high gear and buckle down to the all-important task of winning the war ....and a lasting and universal peace

On Tuesday evening last week, Captain Roy T. Emerson, in charge of ground observation crews and filter stations in 19 of 45 counties in California, including Placer, was the guest speaker at the open meeting of the Tahoe branch of the Placer County Rangers. His visit was primarily for the purpose of presenting brassards to the seven worthy citizens who have put in 100 or more hours on watch at the listening post in town.

Before making the awards, he spoke entertainingly on the history of the observation post, sketching the progress made from its inception. The Chinese are credited with inaugurating the system aeons ago with runners, their primitive idea having developed into today's swift, certain methods of instantaneous plane detection, termed by Captain Emerson "the eyes and ears of the world".... and "America's first line of defense." He likened the posts to accident insurance, extremely necessary to maintain but always done so with the hope it will never become necessary to collect. I nthe 19 counties under his jurisdiction, he estimates there are 329 posts manned by approximately 24,000 volunteer observers, the ground observation corps of the entire portion of northern California alone numbering 106,000 persons. He admitted the services of this vast silent army were most unglamourous, but assured his listeners they were invaluable to the nation during this planes carrying valuabe crews of crisis. He told of 28 of our own trained pilots and technicians which were saved from disaster through the alertness of isolated post observers since January of this year. He credited the present system and the diligence of the listening posts with having warded off enemy planes to date and pleaded that Tahoe, despite the discomforts of rigorous and often subzero weather to come, carry on the splendid record it has established.

He complimented the citizens of Tahoe and Chief Observer Clarence Vernon for having conducted the post in such a praiseworthy manner and commended the Tahoe Rangers for being on the alert and ready for any emergency, and Mrs. A. M. Henry for her efficient handling of Red Cross relief measures.

While he did not promise tires to volunteer observers coming from a distance, he did assure Tahoe that the government would furnish a car and gas should transportation become an acute problem in keeping the post in operation. He disclosed that those on watch this winter would be housed in Carl Bechdolt's heated service station office through the courtesy of the owner. This is a marked improvement over the little green two by four which shudders with each lusty winter gale and creaks eerily with the scrapping of bare branches of the trees against its walls.

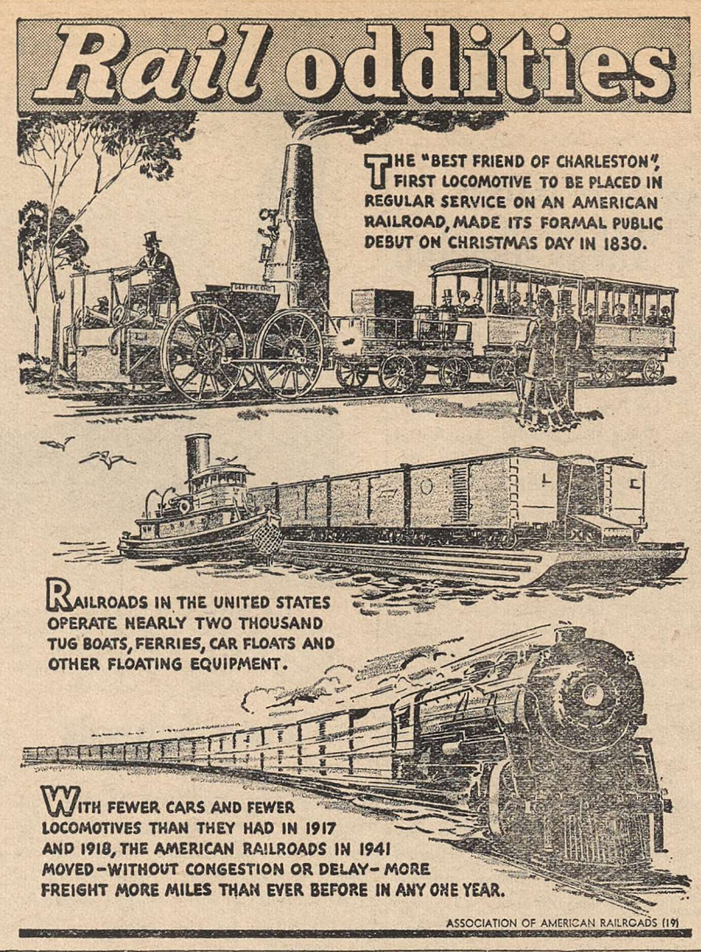
Those receiving arm bands and his congratulations were Mrs. Martha Burns, Dick Hinkle, Jimmie Swanson, GGeorge Tiffee and Stanley Martin. Also winning bands but not present were Miss Florence Vernon, Mrs. Dian Warner and Robert Stark. Captain Emerson answered numerous questions relative to post problems and wound up with a talk with a recent true tale from the Solomons. It gave us all a laugh .... hope it does you too. Following the destruction of an American ship, members of the crew were tossed about in the water prior to rescue when one irreperssible Yankee grabbed and straddled a large wwhite boom as it floated by. As he reached the crest or each towering wave his voice rang out across the tempest— "Hi, ho Silver!" Despite the tragedy of the moment his nonsensical antics broke the tenseness of the situation and forced smiles to the terrified faces of his comrades. Let's hope there will always be one among you to bring back sanity and the semblance of a smile when the going really gets tough in the days to come!

Tahoe rests this week near the end of Autumn with trees half bare and a breath of expectancy in the air as if winter were waiting just around the corner. Tahoe caretakers have filled their larders and stacked in their winter wood, and are ready for the worst.

Wishing you all the best of good cheer, good health and good luck until next week, with thumbs up, I am,

Faithfully Yours,
SWANEE.

—V—


Rail oddities
THE "BEST FRIEND OF CHARLESTON", FIRST LOCOMOTIVE TO BE PLACED IN REGULAR SERVICE ON AN AMERICAN RAILROAD, MADE ITS FORMAL PUBLIC DEBUT ON CHRISTMAS DAY IN 1830.
RAILROADS IN THE UNITED STATES OPERATE NEARLY TWO THOUSAND TUG BOATS, FERRIES, CAR FLOATS AND OTHER FLOATING EQUIPMENT.
WITH FEWER CARS AND FEWER LOCOMOTIVES THAN THEY HAD IN 1917 AND 1918, THE AMERICAN RAILROADS IN 1941 MOVED—WITHOUT CONGESTION OR DELAY—MORE FREIGHT MORE MILES THAN EVER BEFORE IN ANY ONE YEAR.
ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN RAILROADS (19)

## Tahoe Briefs

Mrs. Elizabeth Walker is home again at her attractive Truckee river home from the Oakland hospital where she has been a patient for some time following the breaking of her hip. On Saturday night she entertained at a party honoring Mrs. Alice Bechtel and Corinne Otten.

Last week Mrs. Walker donated to the local library the Book of the Month's October selection, Mediterranean.

Miss Kathleen Starratt and her brother, Jack, returned Friday following a week's vacation in San Francisco.

From Tracy on Sunday came Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Galli, Mrs. O. Platti and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hall. They visited at the lakeshore home of the Galli's near Klamps.

Paul Crandall returned to his Tahoe Park home last weekend to complete some work left undone. He has been doing some successful duck hunting while here.

Mrs. Lee Garner of Bittencourt Tract left for Carson City for the winter. She has been ill fo days with a severe cold. Her husband has not yet left for Alaska but is waiting for notice any time.

Captain Hans Hansen of Rubicon Lodge enjoyed a week's vacation in the bay area.

Kenneth Willis and brother, Ed, accompanied by a nephew visited at Tahoe one day last week. They are both former residents of this area and visited with old friends during their stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Martin and son, Stan, Jr., enjoyed the weekend at the Yerrington ranch of Martin's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Williams. Little Stanley fed the chick ens, milked the cow and rode horseback during his stay.

Don Piggot, son of Mrs. Chris Nielsen of Tahoe Park was a visitor at the Nielsen home on Monday. He is employed at Lemon Valley.

The lake level on Monday stood at 6227.34 with 176 CSF of water leaving the gates. On October 29 the temperature dropped to 22, the coldest morning of the season to date.

—V—

## Announcements Made For Tahoe Residents

TAHOE CITY, Nov. 5.— Several announcements of importance are made for the benefit of Tahoe residents this week. First and most important is the dates set for the registration of those desiring gas rationing cards. November 12, 13 and 14 have been set and the Tahoe Lake schoolhouse is the palce for registering. The three local teachers, Mrs. Bliss Hinkle, Mrs. Myrtle Gallinger and Jay Schumacher and their assitants will be on hand from 2 p. m. until 8 p. m. on those days to sign up car owners. Applicants must have their tires registered before appearing.

Second is the announcement that all wishing to donate fats to the nation's war effort may take them into either Turnage Market, The Village Store or Athertons in town. While no payment is made for the fats they will be turned in to the government at some central point. Fats may be donated in pound coffee tins or other such receptacles and any amount is welcome.

Lastly the announcement is made that those having on hand pieces of fur old coats, or down or duck feathers may take them to Sears in Reno where a desk at the back of the store has been set aside for the reception of these much needed articles.

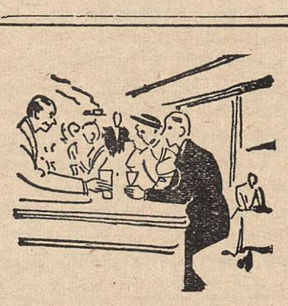
—V—

Wheat production in Idaho during 1941 averaged 28 bushels per acre, compared to 16 bushels per acre nationally.

## Up From Briny Deep

**Fouled by marine growth after five months in the water, this submarine net was hoisted to the side of an auxiliary ship for cleaning. This is one of the few pictures ever released by the U. S. navy of the nets used to keep enemy subs out of strategic ports and harbors.**

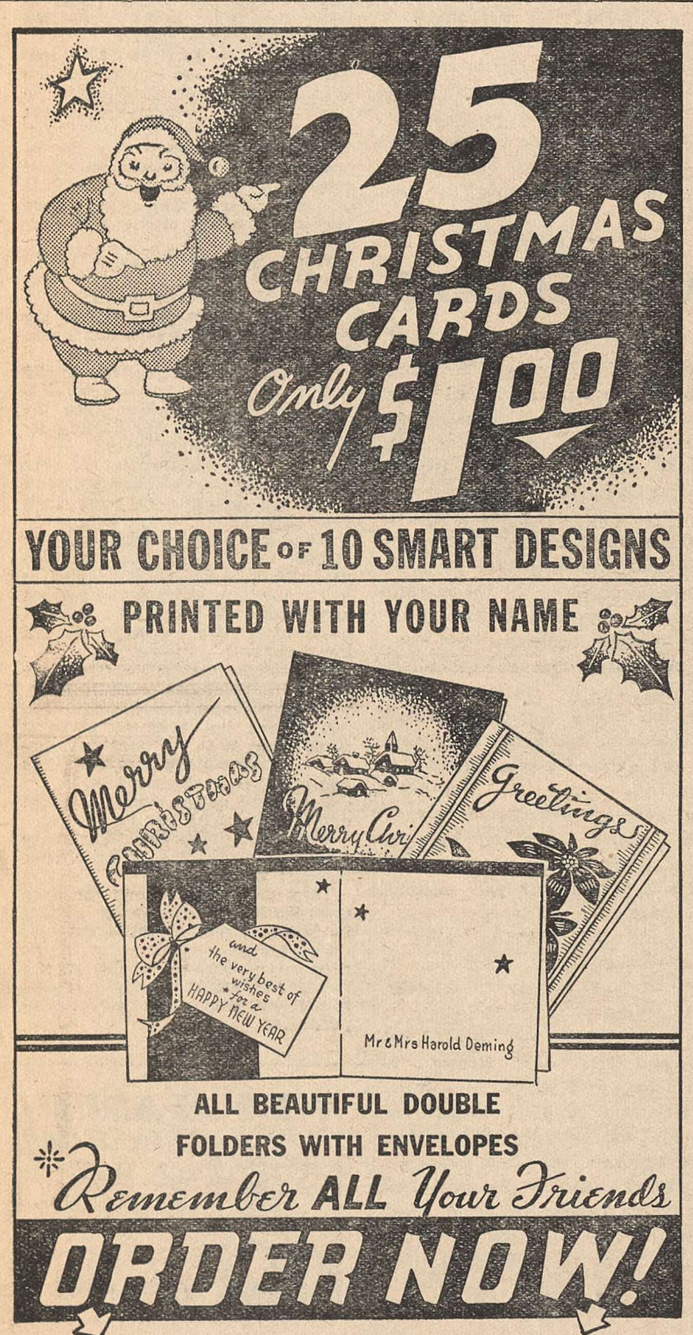

USE SUN ADVERTISING



BAR SERVICE
Using Only The
FINEST LIQUORS
Mixed By
EXPERTS

For the Best
Steak Dinner
or
Cup Of Coffee
In Town
EAT AT TONY'S

TONY'S
Club & Coffee Shop
Commercial Row
Telephone 55
Booths & Counter
Service
Open 24 Hours Daily


25 CHRISTMAS CARDS
Only $1.00
YOUR CHOICE OF 10 SMART DESIGNS
PRINTED WITH YOUR NAME
Merry Christmas
Merry Christmas
Greetings
and the very best of wishes for a HAPPY NEW YEAR
Mr & Mrs Harold Deming
ALL BEAUTIFUL DOUBLE FOLDERS WITH ENVELOPES
Remember ALL Your Friends
ORDER NOW!

Sierra Sun
"IT SHINES FOR ALL"
AND
Truckee Republican

ON FAMOUS POWELL STREET
OFF UNION SQUARE IN THE HEART OF
DOWNTOWN SAN FRANCISCO

HOTEL MANX

The Harvey M. Toy Hotels

SAN FRANCISCO'S finest family hotel. Quiet, refined, and friendly atmosphere, in the very heart of the theatrical, restaurant, and shopping district.

RATES FROM $2 Garage Service AT DOOR

Hotel Clunie
Sacramento
Capital of California
RATES from $1.50

Hotel San Carlos
Monterey
By the Blue Bay of Monterey
RATES from $2.50

Rainbow's End
Paxton, California
On the Glamorous Feather River

A CALIFORNIA INSTITUTION SERVING YOU

If you're a heartsick wife—mother—or sweetheart...you'd do a lot to give that boy a better chance to get back safe. Well then...do it!

SOMEONE'S LIFE IS IN YOUR HANDS!

ROUND up your scrap metal—it's needed to make steel. Steel for armor plate to protect him from bombs and bullets. Steel for weapons to help him do the job that must be done before he can come home again.

You don't want production figures. It's enough to know that 50% of all new steel is made of scrap—that our steel mills now have only enough scrap in sight to last another 30 days *at the most!*

What happens after that depends on all of us. If production falls and you've not done your part, will you rest easy?

Next week we're starting a collection drive—to build the biggest stockpile of scrap metal you've ever seen. Then when the mills need it, we'll have it—because you came through ... for *his* sake!

★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

Watch this paper for details of the big scrap drive and what you must do to help
NEWSPAPERS' UNITED SCRAP METAL DRIVE


## Stanley Martin, Jr., Is Feted At Birthday Party

TAHOE CITY, Nov. 5.— Little Stanley Martin, Jr., last Wednesday was host to the children of his classroom at a surprise birthday party. Mrs. Martin decorated the tables with lighted pumpkins and gave each child favors and caps all in Hallowe'en colors. A birthday cake, candy, cookines and ice cream were served the eight youngsters attending the noon hour affair.

—V—

## Get your scrap in the fight

# SUCCESSFUL PARENTHOOD

By MRS. CATHERINE CONRAD EDWARDS
Associate Editor, Parents' Magazine

## GROWING TALL GRACEFULLY

Growing tall, though nowadays a much more common experience for girls than in their mothers' youth, is still a process which requires not only careful health checkups but a great deal of tactful persuasion in regard to posture if the added height is to make for the fine appearance it should.

Growth itself if too rapid can be enervating, so that a girl or boy who slumps may be telling the truth with that familiar complaint, "I'm too tired to stand up straight." The doctor and the family meal planner are the ones to remedy this condition. Among other things the prescription will call for more sleep and rest, with extra minerals and vitamins.

But even with perfect health, being taller than the average is apt at first to be a beauty hazard. For it is difficult to make a young girl realize how precious the added inches between five feet three and five feet six or seven will be when she is grown. Consequently she tries to jam her head down on her shoulders and to contract her torso by pulling in her chest to keep from towering over other girls her age—and boys, too, for even a boy destined to outstrip her in height takes longer about it than a girl does.

To learn what the mother of one stunning tall girl of my acquaintance did to save her daughter from jeopardizing her figure during the growing years I had a talk with her.

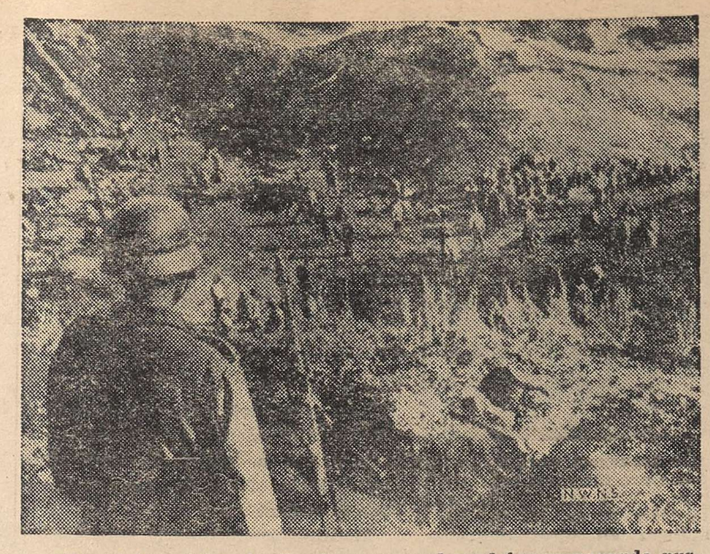
"Helen's two older brothers really deserve most of the credit," she told me. "When she began to shoot up at 13 it was they who persuaded her to make the most of her tallness." I liked that phrase "make the most of her tallness," so I asked for more particulars.

"Well, of course, boys Helen's own age were usually a lot shorter than she was," Helen's mother continued. "When she danced with one she felt so awkward and was so anxious to make the boy forget her height, that she'd hump up her shoulders and duck her head. That's when the family campaign began!"

From the very first these devoted older brothers made Helen realize that height was something to treasure. Besides, they told her, there wasn't anything she could do to stop adding inches so she might as well keep them in a straight line instead of producing unsightly curves where a curve wasn't meant to be. They danced with her a lot themselves and on the floor they'd point out how ungraceful a girl looked who danced with rounded shoulders and bent knees. They also encouraged her to go in for sports—swimming, riding and tennis especially.

Of course, not every rapidly growing girl has an attentive older brother to supply this needed self-confidence. But fathers are good substitutes. Or you can call her attention to the way film stars carry themselves—Rita Hayworth, for instance, who is taller than average.

## Nazi Guards Russian Prisoners of War



**This picture, taken by the Germans and used for propaganda purposes, shows Russian prisoners of war being guarded by a German soldier atop a hill, with a machine gun pointed at them. Because the Germans need every man to combat the rough, tough Russian fighters, they were forced to herd the Russians into this valley where it was easier to keep tab on their captives.**

# Capitol Week

By T. M. BRIGHT
United Press Staff Correspondent

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 5.— (UP)— The state's manpower problem has been revealed in its full seriousness by a report of the State Personnel Board which says that civil service workers are quitting or being drafted from the state's employ faster than they can be replaced.

The report discloses that when the United States entered the war there were 24,640 full time civil service employes. Since then 6,236 persons have resigned, an average of 693 a month.

The majority of them, according to the report, entered war industries and other occupations paying higher salaries.

In addition, the report says. the armed services have been taking state employes at the rate of about 125 per month.

But despite these inroads upon state employment lists, the Personnel Board has done little more than lower a few educational requirements to attract employes.

No action has been taken by the board on the suggestion of William K. Smith, acting executive officer, that the state's civil service system be streamlined.

He recommended that overtime be paid in cash instead of compensating time off; that the California residence requirement be waived, and that the part-time assistance be sought from students, housewives and retired persons.

It will be a necessity to consider for November induction me in group 1 of Class III because the pool of single men and those with collateral dependents will not be sufficient to meet the month's quota, state selective service headquarters announced.

It also announced that registrants previously classified as 4-F have been resubmitted for consideration. Where the registrant meets the new olwered requirements for the armed forces he is immediately considered for military service. If he does not meet the present requirement he si returned to 4-F.

The Department of Motor Vehicles urges motorists who have lost or misplaced their registration cards (white slpis) to apply at once for dupilcates to avoid delay in obtaining their gasoline rationing coupon books.

The slips must be presented when vehicle owners apply for coupon books to be used for gasoline after November 22. Applications for duplicate cards may be obtained at any branch office of the highway patrol or by writing to the main office in Sacramento. The fee is 50 cents.

Assemblyman Harold F. Sawallisch has served notice that he will introduce amendments to the motor vehicle code at the next session of the legislature to reduce the official state speed limit fomr 55 to 35 miles per hour.

The Richmond legislator was the author two years ago of a measure boosting the state speed limit from 45 to the present legal 55 miles per hour.

Schwallisch says the legislation is necessary to clear up ambiguities in the vehicle code and to provide a more general public compliance with the rubber conservation plan.

He says he will favor a return to the higher speed limit after the war is over and plenty of tires are available.

Meanwhile the State Board of Equalization reports that California motorists used 10 per cent less gasoline in September than in the same month of 1941. However, this was less than the average 15 per cent drop in recent months.

Governor Culbert Olson appointed Leon Hepple of Stockton, newly elected state commander of the American Legion, to the State Council of Defense.

Hepple replaces Robert F. Garner, of San Bernardino the retiring state Legion commander. Each new commander replaces his predecessor on the council.

# ABOVE the HULLABALOO

By LYTLE HULL

## Freedom for All Peoples?

Wendell L. Willkie, in a statement issued in Chungking, China, on October 7, said: "We believe this war must mean an end to the empire of nations over other nations . . . And we must say so now, not after the war."

Probably 90 per cent of Americans subscribe to this sentiment, though to work it out successfully and universally would seem, at first glance, to be an impossibility. Anything, however, which we are able to conceive, is possible of solution provided the Will exists.

When this war is over and the Japs have been "slapped down" and sent home, it is very probable that China is going to demand the return of all Manchukuo to the Chinese, and of Korea to the Koreans. If these demands are not granted peaceably, war in the East may continue. China will also demand the abrogation of the Treaty Rights and the return of Hong Kong, etc. China has as much right to her territory as we have to ours.

It is the emancipation of the "hundred and one" colonies and dependencies of the Great Nations which would seem to constitute an insurmountable obstacle to the Utopia which we call "Freedom for all peoples." It would be possible, for instance, for the United States to turn over the Hawaiian islands to their inhabitants and let them run their own country in their own way. But what would then prevent Japan, or Russia, or China, or some other powerful nation from adopting them some day as a nice airplane base from which it could attack the United States in the event of war?

France, Britain, Holland and the United States could release the many islands which they own in the Caribbean; but 20 years from now—or less—when whole armies can be carried by air, what will prevent some aggressor nation from taking one or many of them as a base for action against us?

Imagine the difficulties attendant upon the return of all Africa to the inhabitants of that multi-owned and controlled continent. How long would it be before inter-tribal strife forced interference by the more advanced (?) nations: and how long would it be before this "interference" resulted in acquisition; and how long before "grabbing" would bring on another World war? How can autonomy be granted to every little island and group of people in the whole world when so many of these holdings are maintained principally for the purpose of strategic advantage in case of war?

"Freedom for all peoples" is a Principle. If adopted for some peoples and not for others, the operation may be successful—but the cancer will remain.

The day will come—some time in the future after people have suffered sufficiently from the ravages of war—when they will decide to abolish this alternative to clever thinking: and in later ages even the memory of War will have ceased to exist. If this Heaven came into being tomorrow however, the "Freedom for all peoples" plan would still be faced with the question of economic competition among nations: that is—each nation striving for self-sufficiency; holding on to rich colonies; erecting tariff walls, etc.

The only solution this column can visualize would be the creation of one vast nation composed of every country on earth and of all the earth's population. Not so easy—and maybe not so pleasant! But this column's inability to solve these simple questions does not mean they can't be solved by some other column.

# The KNOTHOLE

Department of semi-useless information: The average college football squad requires 2,160,000 square inches of adhesive tape per season . . . Fidel La Barba, former world's flyweight champion, has published a song, "Footlight Serenade" . . . The first all-steel ice skate was manufactured by E. W. Bushnell of Philadelphia in 1850. They sold for $30 a pair . . . When Buck Newsom was pitching for the St. Louis Browns in 1938, he permitted 186 earned runs in 330 innings—a modern record.

The smallest margin by which the Yankees have ever won a pennant was one game, in 1922. They edged out the St. Louis Browns . . . Roy Jardine, former Michigan-Ontario Hockey league player, was wounded 11 times in the Commando raid on Dieppe . . . Al Mele of the Syracuse club hit .347 on the road this year and .194 at home.

The Chicago Bears have discarded 75 plays they used last season, replacing them by more than that many new ones . . . Billy Southworth used to box with the late Harry Greb . . . Mort Cooper rates Pee Wee Reese as the toughest player in the Brooklyn lineup for him.

Advanced airplane engines weigh less than one pound per horsepower compared with 10 pounds per horsepower for most automobile engines, according to the department of commerce.

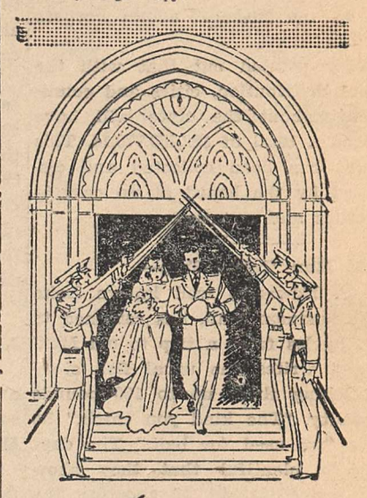
—V—

If the true spark of religious and civil liberty be kindled, it will burn. Human agency cannot extinguish it.
—Daniel Webster

**Gift Booklet for Brides-to-be.**

A supply of Virginia Courtenay's latest Brides' Booklet has just been received at this office.

It contains many helpful suggestions and intimate chit-chat about marriage forms and social customs before and after the wedding; call for your gift copy.



*After the* WEDDING

IN THESE fast moving times Wedding Invitations and Announcements are increasingly important; be sure that your friends and relatives are informed of the happy event. See our large variety of styles...smartly modern...they have that certain touch...that spells refinement and good taste.

*Virginia Courtenay has prepared a gift booklet for young brides which is yours for the asking.*

THE SIERRA SUN

Get your scrap in the fight

◆ FOR RENT ◆
SPACE IN THIS PAPER
Will Arrange To Suit
GOOD NEIGHBORS--PRICES TO FIT YOUR BUSINESS

EAT MEAT
For Full Vitality

We are Headquarters for
Fine Foods

Truckee Meat Market
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Meats of All Kind
Ben F. Lewis, Prop. Telephones20 or 140

Let Fontana's Do The Dirty Work

WITH MODERN
LAUNDRY
AND
DRY CLEANING
METHODS

There is no rationing or restrictions on cleanliness so turn over to us the task of saving your cloths through our MODERN LAUNDRY AND DRY CLEANING plant. Our Equipment is the most up-to-date in the industry and our employes are trained in the most improved methods of handling your garments.

SUITS AND COATS
TAILORED

Fontana's Laundry & Cleaners
TRUCKEE, CALIF. Telephone 124

The World's News Seen Through
THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR
*An International Daily Newspaper*
is Truthful—Constructive—Unbiased—Free from Sensationalism—Editorials Are Timely and Instructive and Its Daily Features, Together with the Weekly Magazine Section, Make the Monitor an Ideal Newspaper for the Home.

The Christian Science Publishing Society
One, Norway Street, Boston, Massachusetts
Price $12.00 Yearly, or $1.00 a Month.
Saturday Issue, including Magazine Section, $2.60 a Year.
Introductory Offer, 6 Saturday Issues 25 Cents.
Name_____
Address_____
SAMPLE COPY ON REQUEST

HEAT WITH OIL THIS WINTER

For good, consistent, clean heat there is no substitute for GOOD oil. Why not try it this winter and enjoy the comforts and convenience which only clean, regulated oil can provide?

IN CHOOSING A DEALER

Select a pioneer in the fuel oil industry. We are prepared to extend expert service on your equipment and will be pleased to advise you on your heating and cooking requirements.

FILL YOUR TANK NOW

Call our driver—let hif fill your tank service your equipment and avoid the inconvenience of winter delays.

ROTARY OIL & BURNER CO.
Oil Heat Pioneers of Truckee & Lake Tahoe
H. T. LANGILLE, Manager Phone 109W
PIONEERS IN FUEL OIL SERVICE

## HUGE SUMS ARE ALLOCATED FROM LIQUOR LICENSES

Distribution of $1,608,816.13 to California cities and counies was announced this week by R. E. Collins, chairman of the state board of equalization.

This huge sum represents one-half of the $3,217,632.27 in alcoholic beverage license fees earned by the board during the six months period ended June 30. The state's share goes into the general fund.

Of the $7,596.25 to be distributed in Nevada County, $2,940 will go to Grass Valley; $1,427.50 to Nevada City and $3,228.75 to the unincorporated area on the basis of actual licenses issued.

Collins pointed out that with the current distribution, cities and counties throughout the state will have received a total of $22,159,770.14. This amount has been collected and distributed by the board at no cost to the cities and counties.

—V—

**Tahoe Man Takes Trip—**

C. F. Edwards, well known Lake Tahoe business man, has returned to Los Angeles from a trip to old Mexico and writes the usual fish story of catching them up to 100 pounds in quality. "The kind you catch," he writes "we used for bait." The deer were so plentiful that they shew them away instead of shooting the creatures, he said.

**In Hanford—**

Mrs. Tony Pace is expected home from Hanford with her daughter, Sharon who has been visiting there.

**Located at Springs——**

Emile de Choudens, resident of Donner Lake for many years, is now located at Soda Springs for the winter.

**Sammy Costa in South—**

Sammy Costa who enlisted in the navy recently is now located in San Diego, according to a letter to his mother.

## NEW DATES FIXED FOR REGISTERING CARS FOR RATION

Assurance that motor vehicle owners of Truckee and Lake Tahoe unable to produce their registration cards will not be denied gas coupons if they are able to give a valid reason for not having the cards in their possession was given today by the department of motor vehicles.

The dates for registering vehicles for the A coupon books has been changed to November 12, 13 and 14, according to word from the Office of Price Administration.

The local board will meet Friday to arrange for the intricate work ahead in registering cars and issuing coupon books.

In the meantime car owners possesing more than the five allowable tires should contact N. F. Dolley of the Railway Express who will ship them to the government depot where credit will be given and payment made. Those having more than five tire for passenger vehicles will be denied coupons, the OPA declared.

—V—

**In Missouri—**

Jack Kennedy, inducted into the army recently, is stationed at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

**Denver Bound—**

Private Roy Waters is at Denver learning x-ray technical work. He recently had a siege with the dentist and lost several teeth.

**At Oakland —**

Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Gregory and daughter who left here last week are now living in Oakland.

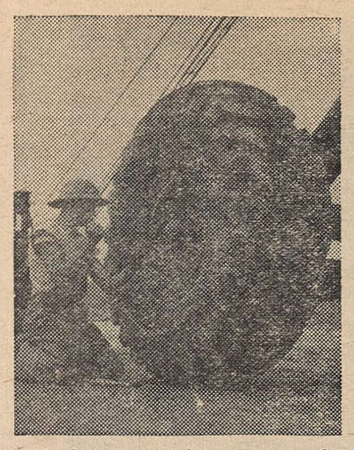
**In City—**

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Harrigan were recent visitors in San Francisco for a week's stay.

**In Lemon Valley—**

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Rockholm of Sugar Bowl have moved to Reno and Rockholm is employed at Lemon Valley.

## Tire Changer



Marine transport workers in the fleet force are the most expert tire changers. This man, in training at the New River, N. C., base, takes them all ways—big ones, little ones, any way they come. Here, by the way, is where some of the civilian rubber goes.

## TAHOE LAUNCH TO LEAVE FOR BAY

TAHOE PARK, Nov. 5. The speedy 60-foot pleasure launch, The Sheik, belonging to George A. Pope of Tahoe this week is being readied for shipment by rail to the bay region where it will be put up for resale. It has skimmed the waters of Tahoe for 18 years or more and originally cost in the neighgorhood of $65,000. The trim little craft is capable of making 26 knots in the high mountain altitude but should increase that speed to 33 knots on the bay. It is powered with two 290 horsepower engines and has carried many famous personages on its round-the-lake cruises.

—V—

**Business Visitor—**

Mrs. Maude Weule was a buisness visitor here last week. She was a former resident here and still has local property interests. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Weiss of Roseville.

**Hellers in San Rafael—**

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Heller are now living in San Rafael where the former has a good position with a large meat concern. The popular Tahoe couple enjoy their new surroundings and send best wishes to their many friends here.

**Breaks In Recruits—**

Corporal Erving Waters writes that he is busy breaking in new recruits and hopes to see local friends soon. He sends his greetings.

**Tahoe Boy Likes Navy—**

Seaman James Frazier of Tahoe who is in the navy writes to the Sierra Sun that he enjoys the life and doubts if he would trade it for "civies" and expressed his thanks for the Sierra Sun which he hopes will keep coming.

**Lake Family Moves—**

The J. T. White family, formerly of Lake Tahoe, recently moved from Palo Alto to Stockton.

**Anniversary—**

Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Besio celebrated their wedding anniversary with their families October 29.

**Has Birthday—**

Little Bobbie Tonini, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elden Tonini Saturday will observe his seventh birthday.

**Oakalnd People Here—**

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Langille of Oakland visited the Harold Langilles here last week.

**Marriage License—**

A marriage license was issued in Reno to Elisha Curtis, 41, Nevada City and Margaret Randall, 45, of Truckee, Calif.

Get your scrap in the fight

## SEAWELL VICTIM OF ROSEVILLE THIEF

State Senator Jerrold L. Seawell of Roseville was the victim of a tire thief while his car was parked in the business section of Roseville this week. Adding one injury on another the thief also took the wheel but was considerate enough to prop the car on a box.

—V—

## *Church Notes* ○ ○ ○

### Community Church

Mrs. Hazel Brandlin in Charge

Sunday school, under the direction of Superintendent Betty Pearson opens at 10 a. m. Come and bring your bible. Join in the "find a verse contest".

Morning worship at 11 with special music by the choir in the form of a duet by Mrs. Pearson and daughter. Sermon theme: The Christian Home and the Problem of Evil.

The Women's Society for Christian Service will meet Thursday, the place to be announced.

Work progresses on the interior of the church. Have you enjoyed having a part?

## Classified Ads

**PIANO WANTED FOR CASH.** State size, make and price. Write Bob McClure, Rt. 2, S. Verdi road, Reno Nevada.

**FOR RENT—** Modern house. $20 a month. Telephone 61.

**STANDARD STATION—**and Garage. Fully equipped. Attractive terms to responsible party. Formerly Coffeys Garage. Phone Truckee 95 or 61.

**FOR RENT—**Modern furnished apartment. Apply Sierra Sun office. Phone 161.

**FIVE-ROOM** House for Rent on Donner Summit. Address J. J. Graham, Route 4, Box 292, Santa Cruz, Calif. Telephone 32J1.

**FOR RENT—**Partly furnished, three-room house with sun porch. Inquire Community Church parsonage. $17.

**CHRISTMAS CARDS—** Large selection. Priced from 50 for $1 with your name printed. Sierra Sun.

## Highway Patrol Sergeant Starts His Vacation Here

Until November 23 there will be no operators' licenses issued at the local highway patrol office, it was anounced by Sergeant B. W. Reynolds who this week started a three-weeks well-earned vacation. During his absence, patrolmen from Nevada City will augment the Truckee squad.

**NOTICE**

After November 1 I will not be responsible for any watches or other items left with me for repair. Owners may claim there property by calling at the office of the Sierra Sun.

A. BIANCHI

## TRADE IN TRUCKEE

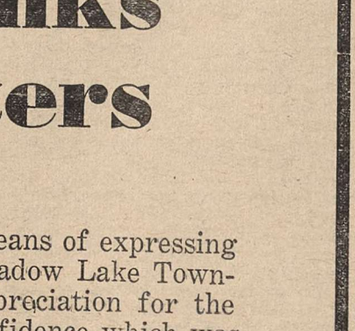

BE PREPARED FOR THE UNFORESEEN
Insure
A. CABONA, Agent
Maryland Casaulty and
Springfield Fire and Marine

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

PLEASE...
think of them
when you travel!
From now on—more and more people must depend on buses for necessary travel. In addition—buses are popular with service men on furloughs. Please think of them when you plan a trip. Phone for latest wartime schedules . . . use buses that are least crowded . . . depart and arrive weekdays whenever possible.
THANKSGIVING—If you must travel Thanksgiving . . . plan your trip so as to arrive at destination as much before—and leave there as much after Nov. 26—as possible.
For Victory . . . BUY U. S. WAR BONDS & STAMPS

BURLINGTON TRAILWAYS
Air-Conditioned DIESEL LINERS
SERVING WARTIME AMERICA

BUS DEPOT
Hazel Lewis, Agent
J. L. Lewis' Store
Telephone 24-J




N. F. (TOM)
DOLLEY
PHONE 28-W
General Insurance
Royal Indemnity Co.
Royal Insurance Co.

DINNER THEATER
Two Shows: 7:15 and 9 P. M. Telephone 99
SELECTED SHORT SUBJECTS ON EACH BILL

Saturday, November 7
NIGHT IN NEW ORLEANS
Preston Foster Patricia Morison

Sunday, November 8
TALK OF THE TOWN
Cary Grant Jean Arthur Ronald Colman

Wednesday, November 11
INVISIBLE AGENT
Ilona Massey Jon Hall

Quality
Groceries - Fruits
Vegetables

New Crop of Canned Fruit

| | |
|---|---|
| ONEOATA PEACHES Large 2½ Cans | 24c |
| ONEOATA PEARS Large 2½'s Cans | 25c |
| KADOTA FIGS No. 1 Cans | 15c |
| RED & WHITE PEACHES No. 2½ Cans | 30c |
| RED & WHITE APRICOTS No. 2½ Cans | 30c |
| S & W LIGHT SWEET CHERRIES No. 1 Cans | 25c |
| S & W MAMMOTH PEARS No. 2½ Cans | 35c |
| LIBBY'S TOMATO JUICE 47 Ounce Can | 25c |

TONINI'S
Phone 73 Truckee, California

DONATE YOUR SCRAP TO THE USO

Thanks Voters

I wish to take this means of expressing to the voters of Meadow Lake Township my sincere appreciation for the splendid vote of confidence which was accorded me at Tuesday's election.

It shall be my earnest desire to justify this confidencce during my term as constable.

N. F. (Tom) DOLLEY

Drugs at Cut-Rate Every Day Prices

| | |
|---|---|
| 60c SAL HEPATICA | 49c |
| 30c SAL HEPATICA | 25c |
| $1.25 PETROLAGAR | 97c |
| 60c BROMO-SELTZER | 49c |
| 30c BROMO-SELTZER | 25c |
| 60c ALKA-SELTZER | 54c |
| 75c LISTERINE | 59c |
| 75c PEPSODENT ANTISEPTIC | 59c |
| 50c IPANA TOOTH PASTE | 43c |
| 50c SQUNIBB DENTAL CREAM | 37c |
| 50c DR. WEST VRAY | 43c |
| 75c FITCH SHAMPOO | 59c |
| 50c NORWICK HAIR DRESSING | 39c |
| $1.00 JERGENS LOTION | 89c |
| 50c Hind's Honey, Almond Cream 2 | —49c |
| 25c KOTEX —12's | 22c |
| 25c MODESS—12's | 22c |

Loynd's Truckee Drug
Sierra Tavern Building Telephone 139

Groceries
FRESH FRUITS — VEGETABLES
Hardware
PAINTS AND OILS
YOU WILL FIND OUR PRICES RIGHT
AND OUR MERCHANDISE OVER PAR
Truckee Mercantile Co.
W. F. Wilkie
TELEPHONE 54 WE DELIVER

EXCELLENT FOOD — WELL COOKED

If you really appreciate the better things that go to make up better living, visit our bar and restaurant.

ALWAYS FRESH CIGARS, TOBACCOS
THE PASTIME
Truckee R. JOSEPH, Prop. Phone 45